

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

CHILDREN, FAMILIES, AND ELDER AFFAIRS

Senator Sobel, Chair
Senator Hays, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, April 15, 2013

TIME: 1:00 —3:00 p.m.

PLACE: *Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Office Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Sobel, Chair; Senator Hays, Vice Chair; Senators Altman, Braynon, Clemens, Dean, Detert, Diaz de la Portilla, Grimsley, and Thompson

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 108 Detert (Identical H 547)	Child Care Facilities; Requiring the Department of Children and Families to adopt rules to include specified requirements within minimum standards relating to a written plan for the daily provision of varied activities at a child care facility, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Temporarily Postponed ED RC	Temporarily Postponed
2	SB 110 Flores (Identical H 9)	Involuntary Examinations Under the Baker Act; Authorizing physician assistants and advanced registered nurse practitioners to initiate involuntary examinations under the Baker Act of persons believed to have mental illness, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Fav/CS HP JU	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
3	SB 312 Braynon (Identical H 595)	Family Support Personnel Policies; Requiring the model rule establishing family support personnel policies to provide for a specified amount of leave for an employee who has a family member with a serious health condition, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Temporarily Postponed GO AGG AP	Temporarily Postponed

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4	SB 590 Joyner (Identical H 941, Compare CS/H 943)	Fees and Costs Incurred in Guardianship Proceedings; Providing that fees and costs incurred by an attorney who has rendered services to a ward in compensation proceedings are payable from guardianship assets; directing that the examining committee be paid from state funds as court-appointed expert witnesses if a petition for incapacity is dismissed; requiring that a petitioner reimburse the state for expert witness fees if the court finds the petition to have been filed in bad faith, etc. JU 04/01/2013 Not Considered JU 04/08/2013 Favorable CF 04/15/2013 Favorable ACJ AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
5	SB 610 Joyner (Similar CS/H 943, Compare H 941)	Public Records/Claim Settlement on Behalf of a Minor or Ward; Creating an exemption from public records requirements for records relating to the settlement of a claim on behalf of a minor or ward; authorizing a guardian ad litem, a ward, a minor, and a minor's attorney to inspect guardianship reports and court records relating to the settlement of a claim on behalf of a minor or ward, upon a showing of good cause; authorizing the court to direct disclosure and recording of an amendment to a report or court records relating to the settlement of a claim on behalf of a ward or minor, in connection with real property or for other purposes, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Fav/1 Amendment JU GO RC	Fav/1 Amendment (137920) Yeas 8 Nays 0
6	SB 804 Richter (Identical H 601)	Department of Elderly Affairs; Directing the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to conduct a review and evaluation of the functions of the Department of Elderly Affairs, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Favorable GO	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0

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7	SB 976 Sobel (Similar H 315)	Senior Services; Citing this act as the "Florida Act for Responsible Persons"; authorizing each county to create an independent special district by ordinance to provide funding for services for seniors; requiring elector approval to annually levy ad valorem taxes; requiring the district to comply with statutory requirements related to levying and fixing millage and filing financial or compliance reports; creating a governing council for the district, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Favorable CA AFT AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
8	SB 1212 Soto (Similar CS/CS/H 1015, Compare H 187, H 1313, CS/CS/H 1319, CS/S 646)	State Ombudsman Program; Revising legislative intent with respect to citizen ombudsmen; deleting references to ombudsman councils and transferring their responsibilities to representatives of the Office of State Long-Term Care Ombudsman; reorganizing local ombudsman councils; establishing districts; providing duties of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Advisory Council; requiring long-term care facilities to provide representatives of the office with access to facilities, residents, and records for certain purposes; revising training requirements for representatives of the office and ombudsmen, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Fav/CS HP AHS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
9	SB 1748 Evers (Compare CS/H 1323)	Medicaid Nursing Home Eligibility; Specifying limitations and sanctions on persons transferring assets in order to become eligible for Medicaid nursing facility services, etc. CF 04/15/2013 Fav/CS AHS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
10	Other Related Meeting Documents		